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GOT 50 GUARANTORS

CHAUTAUQUA COURSE ASSURED AGAIN FOR NEXT YEAR

HOPE TO INCREASE LIST

Many New Names Are Found on This Year's Agreement—Plan Better Working Organization.

Maryville will have a Chautauqua course next year.

During an intermission of the play, "It Pays to Advertise," at the tent last night the proposal to contract again with the Vawter System was taken up with the result that fifty guarantors were quickly secured who agreed to see that the Vawter System was amply protected in bringing their talent here. It is hoped to increase the list of guarantors to at least one hundred, it being shown that the greater the number the easier it will be to promote a successful course.

The guarantors who signed the contract last night were:

S. H. Kemp.
James B. Robinson.
D. R. Eversole.
U. S. Wright.
Nat. Sisson.
A. A. Wiley.
R. S. Braniger.
Fred Kurtz.
Mrs. A. D. Arnett.
J. T. Linville.
H. A. Lemon.
Hal Catterson.
Chas. Deneene.
E. E. Akers.
H. H. Mutz.
Wm. Everhart.
Guy Mutz.
Thos. Young.
Paul Sisson.
Geo. McMurry.
W. F. Burris.
L. E. White.
Miss Berenice Rice.
F. W. White.
Bert Cooper.
Matt Gwinn.
E. M. Claypool.
Chas. Tabler.
E. Ogden.
J. K. Shades.
Mrs. Walter Mutz.
J. C. White.
R. F. Wallace.
H. W. Hull.
H. L. Stinson.
Scrib Beech.
John Quinn.
C. S. Casey.
G. H. Wamsley.
E. A. Barmann.
Chas. Childress.
C. M. Hartness.
Mrs. J. B. Robinson.
A. J. Moberly.
G. B. Roseberry.
J. E. Carpenter.
LeGrand Gann.
E. B. Trullinger.
G. H. Colbert.
W. A. Hahn.

The Redpath-Vawter people asked a contract similar to the one entered into last year, the sum named being $1,500. On last year's contract there was less than thirty-five guarantors and it was with difficulty that enough interest was aroused to see that the advance sale of tickets was met. Some of the signers of last year's contract also signed this year's contract, the majority of the names, however, being new ones.

It is planned that early next year an efficient working organization may be formed among the guarantors that will result in the Chautauqua being one of the big events of the year in Maryville.

MAJOR KEELER IN ENGLAND

Mother in This City Receives Message Telling of His Safe Arrival.

Mrs. Mary J. Keeler of this city received a message yesterday from her son, Major John P. Keeler, C. A. N. A., 34th artillery brigade headquarters, telling of his safe arrival in England.

Major Keeler is a graduate of the U. S. military academy at West Point and has been holding the place of chief staff officer of the brigade prior to the appointment of a brigadier general.

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Little

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Little of Portland, Ore., announce the birth of a daughter on July 27, whom they havenamed Virginia Wells. Mrs. Little was formerly Miss Ethel Wells of this city.

CALL MASS MEETING

SOMETHING MUST BE DONE CONCERNING CITY FINANCES.

COURT HOUSE THURSDAY

Cutting Off City Lights Brings Matters to a Focus—Revenues Must Be Increased to Operate.

A mass meeting of citizens and property owners has been called to meet at the court house Thursday night to discuss the city's financial condition and lighting question and to see if some plan cannot be devised whereby the city may be provided with funds to meet operating expense. The call is made through the Commercial Club.

Following the action of the city council last Friday night when an order was given the electric light company to discontinue all street lights until further notice, the chief reason being that the city was without funds and behind two months on payment, the city has been dark. The experience has not been a pleasant one for residents, which coupled with the fact that the discontinuance of all street lights in both the business and residence sections places the community in jeopardy from fires, and thieves and accidents, makes it imperative that something must be done at once. Just what course will be followed at the mass meeting has not been outlined, it being the purpose to discuss the matter with a view to getting at the facts in the case, when it is likely that some sort of relief from present conditions will be proposed.

The city's financial condition is well known. Not only is it in debt to the extent of $7,000 with the tax revenues insufficient to meet current expenses, but it is going deeper into debt every month and there is no present source from which additional revenue may be derived. Each of three consecutive city administrations have inherited a debt from the administration preceding and instead of the burden decreasing, it is getting larger. The loss of the saloon revenue is large-

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JOE HENNEBERRY IS DEAD

Former Maryville Business Man Dies at Webster City. Reuillard's Attend Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard left this afternoon for Webster City, Iowa, to attend the funeral services of their brother-in-law, Joe Henneberry, who died yesterday. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning.

Mr. Henneberry made his home in Maryville for several years. He owned what is now the Maryville Laundry Company which he operated for several years, returning to Webster City eight years ago. Mrs. Henneberry is a sister of Mr. Reuillard.

MUSIC ENDS COURSE

ROYAL GRENADIERS AT CHAUTAUQUA THIS EVENING

THE 'CIRCUS' MADE A HIT

Today Was Kiddies Day and They Performed for a Crowd Under the "Big Top"—Parade Feature

The circus came to town today. The most wonderful and remarkable collection of wild animals in captivity, tamed by the hand of real masters, marched in the line of parade and performed their dazzling and spectacular feats in the show ring to the astonishment of old and young alike. The most unique and hair raising performance ever presented before an audience of civilized men and women.

And it was all the work of the kiddies. The Chautauqua brought to the boys and girls this year something new and novel, and under the direction of Miss McGill, play supervisor, they presented a complete circus, including the clowns, slack wire performers, Indian war dancers and other stunts that would have been the envy of Barnham Bailedhay and Ringtail Brothers.

The circus and its "glittering galaxy of spectacular splendor" was a complete success and some two or three score of youngsters had the time

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ELECTION IS QUIET

LESS THAN 200 VOTES POLLED AT 3 P. M. IN PRIMARY

WILFLEY RUNS AHEAD

In The Four City Wards Booher Leads Spratt — McCaffrey Front in County Prosecutor Race

Election Returns From the City, County and State.

Election returns will be received tonight by the Democrat-Forum in the circuit court room at the court house.

A light vote is being cast today in the primary election with less than 200 votes being polled at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the four city wards.

In the Wilfley-Folk senatorial race Wilfley was running ahead of the former governor by a big margin, having a lead in every ward.

Congressman Booher showed a lead of nearly three to one over his opponent, Spratt, the vote in every ward being for Booher.

In the race between Chas. McCaffrey and Ellis Cook for county prosecutor the early count showed the former with a good lead to his credit in every ward.

In the contest for the presiding judgeship of the county court Judge Blackford appeared to have his opponent, Williams considerably distanced.

M. E. Ford for democratic committeeman seems to be the leading choice. On the republican side J. F. Hull is getting most of the tally marks.

The senatorial contest on the republican side between Spencer and Torry indicates Spencer will have a lead of about two to one if the same ratio is kept up until the polls close.

It has been quiet around the polls and interest in the primary appears to be lacking. A late vote, however, is expected to increase the total to nearly normal size.

Miss Crystal Jennings of Bolckow has returned to her home after a visit it in this city with Miss Prudye Saunders.

498 TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Thirty-one Were Killed in Action, 421 Were Severely Wounded—Only One Was Taken Prisoner.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Three army and two marine corps casualty lists were issued today. The army lists contained 358 names of which thirty-one were killed in action, six died of wounds, 313 wounded severely, seven wounded, the degree undetermined, one made prisoner. The marine lists contained 140 names. Seven were killed in action, three died of wounds, 111 were wounded, the extent undetermined, eighteen severely wounded and one slightly wounded.

Two additional casualty lists were received today from General Pershing and have been released to the morning papers for publication. The number contained in the lists has not been made public.

150,000 VOTERS OUT

ELEMENTS OF UNCERTAINTY IN PRIMARY VOTE TODAY

WAR BIGGEST FACTOR

Absentee List Expected to Cut Down Returns From Democratic Side To 150,000

Many elements of uncertainty enter into the primary vote of Missouri today. The war is the biggest factor. The exact number of men who are voters of the state and in the service of the government either at home or abroad is not known and cannot be known the day of the primary. Some have placed this absentee list at 150,000. This is an estimate made here some weeks ago.

The estimates of the best informed politicians do not place the total Democratic primary vote of the state in excess of 145,000. Two years ago, between their candidates for Governor, the Democrats polled a total primary vote of 234,812. This was 40,557 more votes than the same party polled at the same election for United States Senator. The total Democratic at the 1916 election for United States Senator was 396,166.

The Republican primary vote of the state is estimated this year at from 115,000 to 125,000. For United States Senator the Republicans polled a total vote at the general election in 1916 of 371,710. At their primary election in 1916 they polled 133,712 for United States Senator and 191,654 in their Gubernatorial contest.

In 1916 there were exciting contests in both parties over the nomination of candidates for Governor and for state officials. There was also a big contest in the Republican party over nominating a candidate for United States Senators.

Outside of local contests this year, there is no interest manifested in the state primary except party nominations for United States Senator. This latter contest is somewhat intense in the Democratic party and may be responsible for a much larger vote than the estimates indicate. Another element that may tend to swell the Democratic vote is the presence of so many contests over the nominations for congressmen. There are seven of these contests.

Outside of the large cities is it not expected that the Republican contest over United States Senator will draw a very large vote, as off-year primaries go. The Republicans have but two congressional nominations and these are in the tenth and fifteenth district.

INSPECTING NAVAL WORKS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Queenstown, Aug. 6.—Thirteen American congressmen, all members of the naval committee, arrived here today to inspect the British naval works.

PARIS STILL BOMBARDED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Aug. 6.—Bombardment of this city by long range German guns was resumed this morning.

FOCH PLANS FOR SECOND BIG SMASH

HALTS OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS TO ORGANIZE FOR NEW POSITIONS.

BIG BATTLE IS NOW IN THE DEADLOCK STAGE

The French Have Renewed Their Pressure on Picardy Front Reaching Avre River—Americans Slowly Pushing Enem yNorth

Paris, Aug. 6. — According to the French war office, counter attacks by the Germans on the north bank of the Vesle failed completely. The French solidly maintained their positions in this line. North of Montdidier the French made successful attack against the German lines near Braches and crossed the Avre river. The enemy attempted a surprise attack below Montdidier, but were thrown back by the French with heavy losses in the German lines.

Along the Aisne-Marne front General Foch has halted his offensive temporarily until he can organize his new positions and bring up heavy artillery to open the way for fresh infantry assaults.

For the time being the battle has reached a deadlock stage until the third phase opens. This will mean a renewal of Allied thrusts over new front which now extends along the Aisne east to Soissons and along the Vesle from Braisne to Rheims.

The French have renewed their pressure on the Picardy front reaching the Avre river between Braches and Morizel. Some European war experts believe that the extension of the Allied attacks portend a great general offensive before the summer is over and that it will extend all along the western front from the North Sea to the Alps.

London, Aug. 6.—The Vesle river is out of bounds from the recent heavy rains and the flooded condition has been of some aid to the Germans in the heavy resistance they are making in an effort to delay the Allies until their heavy guns can be moved to the northern bank of the Aisne.

Five Zeppelins attempted to cross to the British coast Monday, but failed. One was shot down in flames and another was badly damaged.

With American Army on Marne-Vesle Front, Aug. 6—North of Vesle the Germans are resisting the onslaughts of the Americans in order to gain time, but the doughboys are slowly progressing towards the heights beyond the river. The sunshine permitted air observations today and numerous airplanes are reconnoitering.

Paris, Aug. 6.—That the occupation of Albert by the Allies will be a prelude to the German retreat on a large scale in order to shorten their lines and secure badly needed divisions of man power is the opinion expressed today by war experts attached to Paris newspapers.

London, Aug. 6—German attack attempted at Merris was repulsed, Haig reported today.

THE WEATHER

Fair and continued high temperature tonight and Wednesday.

NO MORE OVERDRAFTS

We can no longer violate, with impunity, the laws of the State which prohibit overdrafts. Therefore,

On and After August 1, 1918

we will refuse absolutely to honor the check of any man, woman, firm or corporation, the payment of which would overdraw the account. This means all. There are no exceptions.

We regret that such drastic action is necessary, but the least any bank or individual can do is to be law abiding. This we have notbeen heretofore.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
By Joseph Jackson, President.

REAL ESTATE BANK
By George B. Baker, President.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
By James B. Robinson, President.

FARMERS TRUST COMPANY
By W. C. Pierce, Vice-President.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

11 and 17 cents

The Greater Vitagraph Co., with HARRY MOREY The big-hearted virile star

A Bachelor's Children

Love decides where the law falls.

Tomorrow, "UNEASY MONEY."

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DIES AT DAUGHTER'S HOME.

Body of Mrs. Anna Keith of Graham to be Brought from Kansas City.

Mrs. Anna Keith of Graham died yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vera Black of Kansas City. Mrs. Keith had been in poor health for some time. The body will be brought to Graham for burial. The funeral services will be held at the Methodist church of Graham at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Keith is survived by four children, Mrs. Black of Kansas City, Mrs. Tressie Hollar of Guthrie Center, Ia., Miss Nettie and Harry Keith, living at home.

ARE HUNTING OTHER JOBS

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 6.—Members of the Brewers' and Malsters' Union and of the Bartenders' Protective and Benevolent League and allied crafts that will be affected by theFederal fuel order that will close the breweries, are making preparations to find new kinds of labor pursuits, it is learned. It is estimated at least 10,000 laborers connected with the breweries and allied trades will be affected.

Lloyd Booher Improves.

Lloyd Booher of Savannah, who has been critically ill at St. Joseph's hospital, is improved today and he will recover, his physician says. — St. Joseph News-Press.

The basis of hospitality is good food. Our meats form the basis of the best meals you or your friends ever enjoyed. Our prices are quite reasonable. Quality and sanitary cleanliness are features of our meat handling.

Watch for Mr. Happy Party.

REIMER'S MARKET
410 NORTH MAIN ST.

Townsend's

Two Day Cut Price Grocery Sale

* Our prices are below those authorized by the U. S. Food commissioner. *

Gallon pails good sorghum 80c

We have only 100 pails to sell—why not use more sorghum and less sugar?

New pack dill pickles just opened, large size, 2 for..5c

Cooking apples, 6 lbs.....25c

8 lb pails salt fish.....$1.25

Only one-half the price of meat.

Brown or light colored sugars go farther than granulated. we can supply you.

New dry onions, 5lbs.....25c

* Peaches for September delivery, about all sold. You were lucky. The market has advanced about $1.00 per bu. *

Crisp corn flakes, pkg....10c

Good quality cabbage, 4lbs 25c

Ohio potatoes, 15 lbs.....50c

Calif. peeled peaches, fancy quality, lb 20c

Calif. fresh pears, basket..30c

Concorn grapes, basket...40c

Gold Cross evaporated milk—
Small cans 6c
Tall cans 11c

Electric Spark white soap, 10 bars for.....48c

Home grown potatoes(small size) pk 25c

50 grain cider vinegar—bring your jug, gal 33c

Tango ice tea, ½ lb.....30c

Spaghetti or macaroni, 3 pkgs for 25c

Matches (full 500 count) box 5c

Walter Baker's ever ready ground chocolate, ½ lb can 15c

2½ lb can Calif. free peaches (light syrup) 20c
Dozen for $2.35

Apricots, 2½ lb cans, fine for pies 15c
Dozen $1.75

Gold Dust 6c

Domestic sardines, can....8c

Finest Pea Berry coffee, (bulk) 28c kind per lb 20c

Fresh bulk cocoanut, lb...30c

Pure Leaf lard in pails, No. 3 80c; No. 5 $1.40; No. 10 $2.75.

Home made pure lard, No. 50 cans net weight 46lbs $14.00

20c jars pea nut butter at 15c

Sliced smoked dried beef, jar 18c

Morrell's fancy breakfast bacon, lb 48c

Smoked bacon squares, per lb 32c

Porcelin lined lids for Mason jars, dozen 25c

Best heavy rubber jar ring, dozen 8c

Townsend's

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TO-DAY

Editorial Notes by Arthur Brisbane

The Berlin Tageblatt says:

"It is an error to underestimate the American infantry, and to do so would only expose the German people to surprises."

The Prussian editor should have used the past tense: **It was an error to underestimate the American infantry and doing so has exposed the German people to surprises.**

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When Americans are told by Prussia that they could not send their ships on the ocean, that was an error, and the "surprises" are coming to the **German people rapidly.**

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Please read the letter that follows and do your share toward preparing the public mind, the public pocket book and the public sense of duty for the financial task that looms ahead.

The request in this letter is intended for all men and women in this country. Prepare your own minds and the minds about you for the next Liberty Loan effort, which is your way and your ONLY way to help support and prove your appreciation of the men in Europe that are adding glory to your flag in Europe.

Liberty Loan Committee,
Publicity Department,
120 Broadway.
July 22, 1918.

Dear Mr. Brisbane:

The Fourth Liberty Loan Campaign is scheduled to commence on or about September 28. It will be shorter in duration, and will aim for a much larger amount than any of the preceding campaigns. This simply means that the effort will have to be just that much more concentrated and the publicity just that much more intense.

The public will read a certain amount of official statements on the nature of the Loan and its aims and then it will turn over the page and settle back to read one of your articles. If, through occasional mention of the fact that there will soon be launched a loan drive, and statement of what it is after, you could let your readers see that it is not entirely an affair of the Treasury Department, you would be furnishing an appeal which would reach corners of the reading public's mind untouched by official exhortations.

It would not be necessary to devote an entire article to the subject. Just enough attention now and then to let your readers know that you, too, have it on your mind and that it is something to think over.

Your help has been valuable in the past. It is needed more than ever now. May we not enlist your co-operation in this respect?

Yours very truly,
JOHN PRICE JONES,
Assistant Director of Publicity,
Second Federal Reserve District.

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There are other things more amusing to write about today.

But as compared with the financing of this war, NOTHING is important, and nothing can interest the good citizen.

The next demand for money and for patriotic response will come, as the letter you have read tells you at about the end of September.

THIS is the day to begin preparing to meet the demand.

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If you stood behind one of the men fighting for this country in France, and he had asked you to pass him the bullets as fast as he fired them, your mind would be entirely on SUPPLYING HIM WITH BULLETS.

You would not waste time applauding his good shots, praising him, or patting him on the back. You would watch him carefully, move quickly—AND HAND HIM BULLETS, as he asked for them.

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The dollars that you and others are to put into this next Liberty Loan are the bullets used by the men in France.

The enthusiasm with which you do your share, and urge your neighbors to do their share, is the only real applause you can give the fighting man, and the only applause that he wants.

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The big loan is coming. Get ready for it.

Remind your neighbors that it is coming. Remind them that they also should arrange to do their share.

The man who buys only one fifty-dollar bond, if it is all that he can do, is as good a citizen as the man who buys five millions of bonds. The man who does nothing is no citizen, he is dead weight, a parasite.

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Do not be content to say to yourself that you will do your duty when the time comes. There is nothing important ahead of you but this loan.

Its success represents the share, in this war, of those that have stayed at home.

It is worth your while to stay awake at night and ask yourself what new thought you can develop to encourage the buying of bonds.

All power is thought—there is no power other than thought.

The victory of our men in Europe is in the brains of those men.

The outpouring of the nation's money that must make this next loan a greater success than all the others will come from patriotic thought.

Map out now the plan for service that you will render this country and your fighting friends, when the nation's appeal comes in less than two **months.**

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THINK ABOUT THE BOND ISSUE.

Plan new reasons why the man who thinks he has done all he could should find a way to do more—even what seems impossible.

Forum-ettes

It's all right for a secret society to have charge of a funeral, but what's the reason for wearing all the funny things the members put on?

Observation: We have noticed that if you will read the patent medicine advertisements long enough you will be able to detect some of the symptoms of disease in yourself.

John Richey is loth to believe that the thermometer went to 110 Sunday. Mr. Richey spent the day in a comfortable rocking chair in his cellar.

Tomorrow morning certain gentlemen for whom you are supposed to have voted will tell you that the crop of liars is still flourishing.

I never could understand why a candidate will ask a man for his candid opinion of his chances of election. I gave such an opinion once, and the man who was a candidate has not spoken to me since.

A woman will always follow her husband's advice if it is advice to do what she was going to do anyway.

Army life may take all the conceit out of a man but it putsa lot of self reliance in its place.

The fellows who use to write fairy tales have nothing on some of the married men of the present day.

A genius has completed an invention which is said to make Ford's safe. Now, if he will only keep at it and perfect a device to keep them quiet, the world will have profited by the genius having lived.

The most efficient military expert is the fellow who rushes into the office for his copy of the Democrat-Forum and after reading the war news says: "I knew it was about time for 'em to get busy."

LIVES 200 YEARS!

Haines

The Store That Is Anxious to Please You.

By the Bunch without the Boss.

The Last of Summer Merchandise Must Go

WE ARE VERY ANXIOUS TO CLOSE OUT ALL SUMMER MERCHANDISE IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR THE NEW FALL STOCK.

DRESSES

One lot of silk dresses worth up to $16.75 now only.....$ 8.75
One lot of silk dresses worth up to $25.00 now only.....$12.75
One lot of silk dresses worth up to $35.00 now only.....$17.68
One lot of slik dresses worth up to $49.75 now only.....$27.50
One lot of wash dresses including colored lawns, organdies, nets, etc., will be closed out at exactly ONE-HALF PRICE.
All fancy gingham dresses ONE-FIFTH OFF.
All children's dresses ONE-FIFTH OFF.

SKIRTS

One lot of plain wool serge skirts, fancy stripe skirts, etc., will be closed out at your choice, only $4.12
One lot of high grade fancy silk skirts, worth from $17.50 to $25.00, your choice only $12.75
All other skirts in the house, including wash skirts, chuddah skirts, etc., will be sold at ONE-FIFTH OFF.

HOUSE DRESSES AND COVERALL APRONS

At the prices we are selling these house dresses the materials alone could not be bought. Don't fail to take advantage of these high grade garments at such low prices.

$1.49 Coverall Aprons at.....$1.19
1.98 Coverall Aprons at.....1.69
1.48 House Dresses at.....1.19
1.98 House Dresses at.....1.69
2.48 House Dresses at.....1.95
2.98 House Dreses at.....2.39
3.48 House Dresses at.....2.75
3.98 House Dresses at.....2.99
5.00 House Dresses at.....3.95
6.50 House Dresses at.....4.95

COATS

All this season's coats for women, misses, and children are now being sold at ONE-FIFTH OFF.

PARASOLS

All fancy summer parasols now ONE-HALF PRICE.

WASH DRESS GOODS

One lot of colored wash dress goods, worth up to $1.00 a yard, now only 69c
One small lot of colored wash dress goods now only, a yard 24c

SILKS

One lot of fancy silk shirtings, regular $1.75 quality now only, yd $1.19

For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland, has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very age is proof that it must have unusual merit.

If you are troubled with pains or aches in the back, feel tired in the morning, headache, indigestion, insomnia, painful or too frequent passage of urine, irritation or stone in bladder, you will almost certainly find quick relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the good old remedy that has stood the test for hundreds of years, prepared in the proper quantity and convenient form to take. It is imported direct from Holland laboratories, and you can get it at any drug store. Your money promptly refunded if it does not relieve you. But be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL brand. In boxes, three sizes.

On Extended Western Trip

Mr. and Mrs. M. Goodson left last night for an extended western trip which will include a stop at Montezuma, Colorado, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Ruth Nisja and family, a visit at Portland, Oregon, where they will attend the national G. A. R. encampment and at San Jose, California, where they will visit Mr. Goodson's sister, Miss Elizabeth Goodson.

Halley Ford "Over There."

Halley Ford, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford of this city has arrived safely overseas. Young Ford is in the signal corps service and is one of the head men in his company. He is with the Headquarters Co., 342 Field Artillery, 39th Division, A. E. F.

He was in training at Camp Funston, Kan., before going over.

J. Shonley Buys Bookman Residence

John Shonley has purchased the J. W. Bookman residence at the corner of First and Prairie Streets,paying $5,000. Bookman in turn purchased the Shonley residence on the corner of Thompson and Dewey Streets, paying $2,000. Both deals were made by A. S. Robey.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office

DENTISTS IN CONFERENCE

10,000 Members of National Dental Association In Attendance at The Chicago Meeting

Chicago, Aug. 6. — With more than 10,000 dentists in attendance, the annual conference of the National Dental Association opened at the Congress and Auditorium hotels here today for what is in effect a war session.

Among the noted speakers who are to address various meetings of the five-day session are Surgeon-General Gorgas, Brigadier-General Noble, Colonel Charles H. Mayo, Colonel William H. G. Logan and Lieutenant-Colonel H. D. Arnold, of the United States army.

The theory of the army is that health is the first prerequisite to winning the war, and General Gorgas will detail the steps being taken by the Government to make the American army lead the world in well-being. Among other topics to be presented is the relation of the medical world toward rehabilitation of the crippled soldiers into self-supporting, productive civilians after the war.

As for the dentists themselves they will unfurl a service flag of 6,000 stars for the men of the profession now in service.

Dr. Jesse Miller of Maryville is in attendance at the meeting being held in Chicago.

WIDOW PREFERRED TO MEET DEATH AT HOME.

"For many years I suffered from stomach trouble. All the doctors I tried helped me but little. All said I would have to go to hospital and be operated on for gall stones or I would not live much longer. I told them I preferred to meet death at home. One day I picked up an advertisement of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and since taking a course of it more than a year ago have not had a single pain in my stomach, have good appetite and can eat anything." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal muceous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Henry Pierpoint and family of Fort Collins, Colorado, are visiting Mrs. Pierpoint's sister, Mrs. J. E. Tebow and other relatives in Maryville and Nodaway county.

DELAY IN CASUALTY LISTS

Gen. Pershing Explains Why it is a Hard Job to Secure All The Information Quickly.

The Secretary of War authorizes the following:

I have received a telegram from Gen. Pershing with regard to reports of casualties. He points out that our troops are still widely separated, serving in many places, and that our wounded are taken to French and British hospitals as well as our own, causing great difficulty and complication in securing accurate information. In addition to this, the troops are separated from their records while in the area of conflict and must depend upon very inadequate and temporary telegraph lines which are subject to frequent interruption and must, for the most part, be devoted entirely to the urgent business of the battle itself. Gen. Pershing assures me that he is making every effort to collect casualty lists, have them confirmed and verified, and that they will be transmitted promptly.

Mrs. Lottie Oman went to North Platte, Neb., yesterday morning to spend several weeks with relatives.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Entertains as Farewell for Soldier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farnan gave a dinner Sunday entertaining in honor of Leo Farnan, who leaves August 16, to enter naval training service. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Austin McQuinn, Tom, Leo and Miss Marguerite Brady of Clyde, Miss Margaret Brady of St. Joseph, Miss Mary Tobin, Miss Margaret Heffern, Miss Clara Sherlock, Frank Roney and Mr. and Mrs. John Stelter.

Surprise Picnic at Jeffers Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jeffers were pleasantly surprised Sunday at their home northwest of Hopkins, when a party of friends came to spend the day with them. The guests were the patrons and pupils of the Prairie Star district school, which Mrs. Jeffers taught before her marriage. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arch McMasters, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. William Shinabargar, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Appleton, Rose, Clifford, Mildred and Bingham McMasters, Matilda Ellen, Christina, and George McMillen, Marion and Harry Shinabargar, Frances Sherben, Mrs. C. A. Malam and daughter, Helen Lois of Maryville and Miss Elzene Willey of Quitman. The guests brought baskets packed with all things to serve a fine picnic dinner. Mrs. Jeffers was formerly Miss Ethel Cook, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of West Third street.

Picnic at Normal.

Miss Alice McMurry, Miss Cleona Kirch, Miss Marie Price, Miss Wilda Keefe, Miss Mildred Eckert, Miss Alice Peery, Miss Clara Coler and Miss Ruth Jones formed a picnic party who dined out of doors at the Normal park last night.

Gives Bridge Luncheon.

Miss Della Grems entertained the Tuesday Bridge club with a bridge luncheon this morning at her home on East First street. The visiting guests were Miss Mary Louise Shively of Evanston, Ill., Miss Mary Schaaber of Reading, Pa., and Miss Margaret Beattie of Newport, Ark. The high score favor was won by Miss Beattie.

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EDITORS TO STATE FAIR

Next Monday, August 12, They Will be Guest of Fair Directors—Address by Governor Gardner.

Next Monday will be Editor's Day at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia, features of which will be a public address by Gov. Frederick D. Gardner and inspection of the big government army and navy exhibit. The editors will be guests of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce in an auto ride about the city and of the fair directors at a banquet in the evening when addresses will be heard from some of the state's best known editors, the following program having been announced:

Architecture of Talkfest:

Toastmaster—Hon. W. L. Nelson of Columbia.

"Welcome by State Board of Agriculture," by its President, Hon. P. P. Lewis, Crescent.

Response to Welcome, Hon. C. D. Morris, editor of St. Joseph Gazette.

"Our Debt to the Press," Governor Frederick D. Gardner.

"The Arts Preservative — Agriculture and the Press," Hon. Walter Williams, Dean Missouri School of Journalism, Columbia.

"The Farm Press," John F. Case, editor Missouri Ruralist, St. Louis.

"Eighteen Years of State Fair Growth," A. D. Stanley, editor Sedalia Democrat.

"Sedalia's Bit in State Fair Boosting," C. M. Harrison, editor Sedalia Capital.

"State Fair Publicity," M. V. Carroll, Supt. Publicity, Secretary Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

P. M.—Night Horse Show, Liberati Concert and the Pyrotechnic Drama, 'World at War.' Special seat section in Amphitheater reserved for editors as guests of the Fair Directors.

HOG MARKET MAY GO HIGHER

Bunyerson Kansas City Market Predict Tops Will Exceed This Week's High Price of $19.65.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Aug. 6.—Cattle receipts were 26,000 head, including a good many drouth cattle, market slow and lower, nothing prime here, hogs sold 15 higher, early top $19.65, but packers got their hogs at steady prices, receipts 8,000. Sheep and lambs were 25 higher, no choice lambs, which are worth $17.50, receipts 3,000.

Beef Cattle.

No good corn fed cattle were here today, and especially there was nothing in the class that sold up to $18.50 last week. That kind would have brought as much today, but all other kinds are lower, most of them $1.00 or more under a week ago. Some Kansas wintered steers brought $17.75, others $12 to $16.50, 5 cars of Oklahoma steers, weight 986 lbs, brought $15, which was the top in their class, other sales of Oklahomas at $7.50 to $14. Cows quit last week 50 to 75 cents lower with some kinds selling under $6.00, and they are dull today, most sales of grass cows at $7 to $8.50, veals $1.00 under last week, best around $13.00.

Stockers and Feeders.

Weighty feeders have been in strong demand but continued drouth scarce has already taken $1.00 off the price, sales today at $10 to $13. Choice stock steers sell up to $12, but there is an increasing number of useful red yearlings and calves selling around $8, the kind that brought $10.00 a short time ago.

Hogs.

The top of $19.65 paid by order buyers looked shaky from the first this morning, as Chicago came in with an extreme top of $19.75. Packers held off and stopped at $19.50. The top was paid for heavy hogs, medium weights selling up to $19.60, lights $19.50, though the top to packers on lightweight hogs was $19.35, bulk of sales $19.10 to $19.50. Stock pigs are materially higher than a week ago, up to $18.50. If the moderate receipts of today are followed by light runs later this week, the market may go higher, but buyers say there will be no big advance this week.

Sheep and Lambs.

No good lambs were received, else the top would have been around $17.50, the light run being not enough to supply packers' wants. Ewes sell up to $12.50. There is a good strong demand for feeding lambs at prices equal to prices paid for fat lambs, and breeding ewes sell at $9.50 to $17.00, according to age and quality.

J. A. RICKART,
Market Correspondent.

Entertains Kansas City Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin and three sons of Kansas City are visiting in Maryville,the guests of Mrs.Roy Martin. The latter and children expect to leave in a few weews for Casper,Wyo., to join Mr. Martin,and they will make their home in Casper.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff of Pickering spent the day in Maryville today on business.

Soldier's Letters

USED TO THE "BIG BOYS."

Henry Reynolds Writes He Is Getting Used to the Noise of War.

The following letter has just been received from Henry Reynolds by his mother, Mrs. Malinda Mayes, 1209 E. First street:

Somewhere in France, July 7, 1918.

Dear Mother: As this is Sunday morning and everything is quiet I will write to let you know I am well. I received the pillow and was sure glad to get it and thank you very much. I wish I could be there with you all, but I am coming back some day. How are Roy and Mary getting along? Tell them to write to me, as I do not have much time, but will do my best to answer. How is the Bible class getting along and did you celebrate the 4th. It sure was lonesome for me that day. We see air raids every day and here the "big boys," but I don't mind it having got used to it. I saw Ralph Samson and Lee Knox over here the other day and I sure was glad to see them. This is all I have time to write now, so good bye.

Your loving son,
HENRY REYNOLDS,
139th U. S. Inft., A. E. F.

A COOL HEAD AND BRAINS

That's What It Will Take To Lick The Hun, Writes Bryan Sells

The following letter was received by James Todd yesterday from Pvt. Bryan Sells, who is doing his best to help thee Fritzies on their retreat.

France July 7

Well, Jim, as there is nothing to do and everything is quiet Ijust guess I will write to you. I got about 'steen Democrat-Forums the other day and saw Dick Livasy's story. I'll bet after he stays here as long as I have and been through the same entanglements as I have he will write different than he did upon his arrival. But anyway, a man has a right to say what he thinks, just so he don't say it so everyone can hear what he is saying. I used to spout off when I was on my way but I soon piped down and am now as quiet as a mouse. A cool head, also brains is what is going to beat Fritz and, say, Jim,if you see a nice little'loon' running around, save her for me, Iwant to get married when I get back. I want to tell you about that little French girl that was teaching me French. Well, the Germans got to coming so fast that she had to beat it and it has been three months since I have seen her. I guess the Kaiser thought that he would pound out his second wedding ring on her old man's forge at his shop, but he got fooled. Everything was gone when he got there and when the Sammy boys came into that scrap, Bill left lots of things there. I can get anything for a souvenir from a toe nail to a hollow tooth and when a doughboy sticks a great big juicy Prussian in the center he sure does giggle. If you want to see some fun, just point your gun at one, and let Fritz have it for five times, he'll pull off one of the prettiest fandangoes you ever saw, one better than Bill Foster can teach. Well I will close for this time. Goodbye. As ever,

"RED"
Battery D. 52nd. Artillery.

UP IN THE MOUNTAINS

Henry Reynolds Writes His Company Is Stationed in a Cool Place

The following letter was received by Angus Reynolds today from his son Henry Reynolds, now in France:

Somewhere in France, July 6, 1918.

Dear Father:—I will drop a few lines to tell you that I am well and alive. Don't worry about me for I am all right and will come back, too. We are up in the mountains now and it is nice and cool. I saw Ralph Samson and Leo Knox the other day and maybe you think I wasn't glad to see them. How is your garden getting along? I hope that you have good luck with it. I hope that the day will come when I can see you and Malinda again. We can hear the big guns and see air raids every day where we aree. This is all for this time and hoping to hear from you in the near future. I am your loving son,

HENRY REYNOLDS

ILL IN SOLDIER CAMP.

Jack Tarpley at Camp Cody Operated Upon for Appendicitis.

Jack Tarpley, a son of B. F. Tarpley of this city, who is in army training at Camp Cody, New Mexico, underwent an operation for appendicitis July 3, at the camp hospital. He has been very ill but is improving.

Miss Pauline Allen of Trenton, is visiting in the city, the guest of her uncles, W. H. and Harry Allen and families.

AND TALK ABOUT FINE TIMES

Connecticut Boy Tells How Missouri Folk Treat Boys In Training At Fort Leavenworth.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Manchester, Conn., Aug. 6.—Here's how the Missouri folks treat the boys in training at Fort Leavenworth, as described by Paul Scheutz, a local boy, who is a member of the signal corps, in a letter to his chum at home:

"Well, 'Grif,' old top, four of us went out on a pass Saturday and Sunday and had the best time I ever had. We went to Kansas, Mo., about forty miles from here. Saturday night we went to a dance at St. Paul's church, and talk about sport—all society stuff.

"Then Sunday afternoon a man took us out for a seventy-five mile trip through the country and bought us ice cream and cigars. He wanted to go still farther, but I told him we had a date on to go for dinner at 5:30, so we went back to the Y. M. C. A. and thirty of us went out for a dinner at a millionaire's house. Well, it cost him over $100 for the spread, as he had three boxes of ten-cent cigars, cigarettes, three colored waiters, and everything you could think of to eat. Then they picked up the carpet and three of us couples danced for two hours on the swellest floor I ever struck. Well, it's great to get a bid into society. They also had finger bowls on the table and one fellow started to drink the water. The people at Missouri call for soldiers to go out for good times."

TO RESIDE IN MARYVILLE.

Mrs. McGill to Live With Parents During Husband's Absence.

Mrs. L. P. McGill and small daughter, Elizabeth, arrived in Maryville last night to make their home for the present with Mrs. McGill's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Burris.

Mr. McGill is in training at the Paris Island naval training station and during his absence, his family will be in Maryville.

Mrs. Thana Hope and grand-daughter, Charlotte Welchel, returned Saturday night from Corning, where they have been visiting Mrs. Hope's daughter, Mrs. E. L. Wilson and family.

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CONFESSIONS

By AGNES G. BROGAN.

Judith, in her pretty frock, sat at the piano and played enchantingly. Douglas, back among the shadows, sighed as the tender words came to him. Something about:

"When breeze of springtime blows the
lilac blooms apart,
The image of one's first love is shaken
on one's heart."

"That's true," he murmured involuntarily.

Judith swung around on the stool. "Speaking from experience?" she teased, but the serious face of her fiancee checked further raillery.

"Dearest," he said, "come here. That pathetic little song has awakened memories; perhaps I owe you a confession. I was very insistent, you remember, probing into your girlish friendships, to make sure there had been no other love before me. Your more generous nature did not require that assurance.

"What is it your song says, Judith? 'The image of one's first love is shaken on one's heart.' Well, the pitiful memory that stirs in my heart, but makes me love you more. Yet, it is there, every springtime, with the coming of the flowers. It was spring time when I met her, the girl who claimed my first youthful fancy. When I have told you of her, the ghost may be forever laid, and flowers lose their power to shake this image on my heart."

The man laughed shortly. "An uneasy conscience would be the more truthful explanation of my memories," he said. "I had just graduated from college, when father sent me over to France to learn that branch of our business. My duties brought me in touch with the peasant class, and there was among our workers a little maid, golden haired, with the appealing dark eyes of a child. She was very shy, Marie.

"She lived farther up in the village, she told me, and aimlessly one evening I made my way to the cottage home. Hardly more than one room it was, and spring flowers blooming all around. There was a white ruffled curtain in the window, and Marie's potted flowers nodding there, too. She wore a white muslin cap on her head, and her eyes would dance beneath its saucy fold, as I talked my stammering French."

The man paused, again he sighed. "I thought it was love;" he said. "Marie's invalid mother would call to us cheerily from her couch as we sat side by side on the porch stone at twilight. And one night, when the scent of flowers, and the silvering moonlight seemed to fill the world with magic, I asked Marie to be my wife.

"Quick and tearful was her acceptance.

"'My son!' called the mother from her couch, and it was done. After that, I know not how, the romance fled. Evenings upon the porch stone, grew to be wearisome realities, Marie with her pretty tricks of expression but the amusing peasant girl of the workroom."

Douglas paused; Judith, with a catch in her voice spoke.

"And then?"

"I came away," he answered slowly, "back to this country."

"The French girl loved you?" Judith persisted.

Across the man's eyes flashed a memory of Marie's oft-repeated assurance. Impatiently he nodded his head.

His fiancee arose wearily. "You left her to break her heart," she accused, "while you found happiness with me. Do you think I can keep you now, Douglas, with that always between us? Oh!" she turned on him fiercely, "did you send her no consoling message? Did you not try to learn what became of that poor little unhappy thing, with her sick mother?"

"I wrote her," the man answered doggedly, "saying that it had all been a mistake. Her response came, but much was unintelligible to me."

Judith's lip curled scornfully. "If you still have that letter, may I see it?" she asked.

"I will bring it to you," Douglas promised. But his fiancee shook her head.

"You may mail it," she said. "I do not wish to see you again until I have thought things out."

"You mean—?" he demanded, but the girl eluded his outstretched arms.

The scent of spring flowers seemed nauseating, as he gloomily passed out through the garden, then in desperate resignation Douglas searched out the old French letter and mailed it.

After a misery of waiting Judith summoned him by telephone.

"Marie's letter," she began evenly, "appears also to be a confession. The little peasant girl was marrying you to benefit her invalid mother. The true love of her heart, a poor but honest Frenchman being 'desolated' thereby. Your departure afforded her grateful relief, and so as she writes, 'All was well that ended well.'"

Douglas spoke eagerly: "If Marie has nothing to forgive," he said, "can you decree my punishment?"

"I have tried," the girl answered tremulously, "and cannot."

Judith, in her white frock, was at the piano when he entered the room.

"'When breeze of springtime blows
(she sang) the lilac blooms
apart,
The image of one's true love is shaken
on one's heart.'

"I have changed the wording, Douglas," she laughingly said, and slipped into his arms.

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MUST CONTINUE ECONOMY

The Stream of Supplies Needed For the Boys Over There Must Not Be Interrupted at Any Cost

A plea to the people of North America and the Allied nations to continue rigid economy and the elimination of waste in the consumption and handling of all foodstuffs, is contained in a joint resolution of the food controllers of the United States, Italy, France and Great Britain received from Herbert Hoover by F. B. Mumford, federal food administrator for Missouri. Mr. Hoover is now in London conferring with the food administrators of the Allies in regard to the food conditions. The resolution follows:

"Resolved, that, while the increased production of the United States renders it possible to relax some of the restrictions which have been borne with peculiar hardship by all our people, yet it is absolutely necessary that rigid economy and elimination of waste in the consumption and handling of all foodstuffs as well as increased production should be maintained throughout the European Allied countries and in North America.

"It is only by such economy and elimination of waste that the transportation of the necessary men and supplies from North America to the European front can be accomplished, and that stocks of foodstuffs can be built up in North America as an insurance against the ever present danger of harvest failure and the possible necessity for large and emergency drafts to Europe. We cannot administer the food problem on the basis of one year's war; we must prepare for its long continuance if we are to insure absolute victory."

Miss Bertha O'Banion, who is employed at the Graham-Latimer store, left today for her home at Orrsburg to spend a two week's vacation.

To Visit In Nebraska

Misses Marie and Elizabeth Cook let this morning for Council Bluffs, Iowa,too visit their uncle, Rev.Father Cook. From there they will go to Crofton, Nebraska, to visit their sister, Mrs. Joseph Hyinger.

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FOR SALE—Extra good quality of seed rye, $1.75 bu. S. Annie Osborn, north of Burlington station. 3-6*

FOR SALE—Dwellings, at $6,000, $5,000, $4,500, $1,600, $1,500 and $750; a nicely improved 7½-acre tract at only $5,300; two farms to trade for Maryville suburban, and a 20 to trade for Maryville residence. All worth the money and on good terms.
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FOR SALE—Two 1916 Ford touring cars and one 1912 Ford touring car, all in first class condition; will demonstrate. L. B. Campbell, Barnard, Mo. 5-7

FOR SALE—Piano boxes. See H. B. Cushman, 209 S. Main St. 6-8

FOR SALE—Overland touring car in good running order. See R. J. Bagby, Farmers Garage. 6-8*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms over Kuchs Bros. store. Paul Sisson. 23-tf

FOR RENT—Nice, clean, modern rooms for light housekeeping; close to high school. 404 E. 1st. Han. 3625. 30tf

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FOR RENT—25 acres of good pasture; plenty of water. Call Hanamo 15-F. 3-6*

FOR RENT—Eight-room house; in good repair; on paved street; electric light; $12.50 month. Nusbaum & Signs. 3-6

FOR RENT—Suite of furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern except heat; close in. Call Hanamo 4688. 5-7

FOR RENT—The Hastings house, barn and about one acre of ground on E. Lawn Ave. See W. C. Pierce, executor Hastings estate. 6-8

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern except heat, good brick cellar and smoke house, located 1122 N. Mulberry. Vacant after Aug. 15 Inquire 415 W. 9th. 6-8*

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—License No. 55,218 and tail light. Please return to Democrat-Forum. 6-8*

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner may have by identifying same and paying for this ad. Call Farmers 17-15. 6-8

NOTICE — All landholders in District 6 are hereby notified to cut all hedges along public highways by the 20th. J. L. Kime, overseer. 6-8*

LOST—Saddle, between Hopkins and three miles south, Friday night; reward. Return to Democrat-Forum. 3-6

WANTED

WANTED—Porter at the New Linville Hotel. 31-tf

GOVERNMENT needs 20,000 clerks at Washington. Examinations everywhere in August. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner), 47 Kenois Bldg., Washington. 2-12*

WANTED—A single man to get a good all-the-year-around job on a farm. Only a good man who wants to work and wants to stay need apply. W. C. Pierce. 5-7

ALL PARTIES knowing themselves indebted to me, kindly call and settle at once. Alma M. Nash, 319 West Thompson. 5-10

WANTED—At once, several men for shoveling and wheeling. The Engelmann Greenhouses. 5-7

WANTED—Boy's wagon in good condition. Carl and Wilbur Woods, Hanamo 5213. 6-8

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. W. C. Johnston, 301 East Third street. Tel. Han. 3527. 3tf

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Future.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 6.—CORN—August, $1.60; September, $1.62.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Aug. 6.—CATTLE — Receipts 24,000.... steers $13 @ $18; cows, $7.00@$13.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top $19.65; bulk, $19.10@$19.50.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per doz.	30c
Cream, per lb	43c
Hides, per lb.	12c
Hens, per lb.	25c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

300 BUSHELS OATS BURNED

Sparks From Steam Thresher Destroyed Grain, Wagon and Separator at Lykens Farm

Sparks from a steam thresher operating on the farm of Arch Lykens, three miles east of Parnell, set fire yesterday to a number of shock of oats and spread to a wagon loaded with threshed oats, burning the wagon, about 300 bushels of oats and the separator of the machine.

Marriage Licenses.

The following couples have been issued marriage permits:

Arthur J. Cauffield and Miss Jessie Mae Bent, both of Maryville.

George H. Cobb and Cathleen M. Walker, both of Burlington Junction.

Alison L. Hanes and Leona A. Winans, both of Des Moines, Ia.

Merrill R. Stanton and Lucile Currie, both of College Springs, Ia.

To Wyoming Ranch.

Z. W. Thompson of Bedison left this morning for Long Pine, Nebr., where he will spend a few days visiting Elmer Thompson, after which he will go to Guernsey, Wyo., to look after his ranch.

Return From Kansas City

Mrs. B.E.Condon returned Sunday night froom a visit of several weeks in Kansas City with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Thomson. Another sister, Mrs. Fred McClure of Enid,Oklahoma accompanied Mrs. Condon home for a stay of several weeks.

At Excelsior Springs

Mrs. J. L. Ritze and daughter, Miss Bertha Ritze, are at Excelsior Springs where they will spend a couple of weeks.

In Honor of St. Joseph Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dempsey entertained with a dinner last night at their country home south of Maryville in honor of Prof. and Mrs. M. B. Wallace of St. Joseph. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. James E. Stewart of this city. Prof. Wallace has been teaching in the summer term of the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart entertained with a dinner today at their home on East Third Street, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dempsey, living south of the city,Mrs. M. B. Wallace of St. Joseph, Gordon Roach of Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch.

Mrs. D. E. McDonald returned this morning from Chicago where she has been buying fall goods for the Remus Mercantile Company.

Ralph Yehle and Eugene Rathbun returned Sunday night from a six week's trip with the Lester-Lindsey Stock Company. The young men have been playing with the company orchestra.

Chicago Pastor Here

Dr. Henry Hepburn, pastor of the Beauanna Memorial Presbyterin Church of Chicago, came to Maryville yesterday to visit his sister,Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and Mrs. George Fred Davis.

Mrs. W. M. Donahue and daughter, Alice, left yesterday afternoon for a visit at St. Joseph, Kansas City and Pleasant Hill, Mo. Miss Donahue is employed in the Remus store and is spending a two weeks' vacation.

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CALL MASS MEETING

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ly responsible for the present state of the city's finances.

It is the general opinion that in order to secure the needed relief and to place the city in a position where sufficient revenue may be had to maintain and operate the various departments, a new charter must be had that will give broader powers. Operating under a charter totally inadequate to present needs and conditions, there can be but one result if it is continued in force—Maryville will be unable to progress in any direction.

It is urged that every resident and property owner of the city and all who are interested in Maryville's present and future welfare attend the meeting and have a part in deciding what must be done. The time to act has come.

DEATH OF DR E. D. HOLLAND

Son-in-law of Judge and Mrs. Ellison Dies at Hot Springs, Ark.

Word was received by the family this afternoon of the death at Hot Springs of Dr. E. D. Holland, son-in-law of Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison. Death was due to uremic poisoning. Mrs. Holland, wife of Dr. Holland, died here at the home of her parents a year ago last spring of pneumonia while on a visit.

Mrs. Amy M. Oldham and baby daughter of Carthage, Mo., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Null, returned to their home this morning.

Miss Irene Rigney, an employe of the Hanamo Telephone company, left this afternoon for Kansas City, where she will spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. G. H. Miller and other relatives.

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Guard Your Breath.

"A man's breath," says Popular Science Monthly, "is often a betrayer of secrets. He may have been out late, sitting up with a sick friend, but when he reaches home his loving wife at once opens up her battery of reproaches.

"Now comes the news that two inventors in Osceola, Ark., have jointly invented a breath-guard of a new pattern. It is said to be efficient, but not in the manner you were thinking of. It is intended to protect dentists, barbers and physicians from inhaling the germ-laden breath of their patients or patrons. It consists of a small curved shield of glass placed so as to cover the nostrils and held in position by a spring clip gripping the partition wall of the nose on the inside. Many diseases are directly communicated through the inhalation of tainted air, and a device of this kind should be a boon to professional people who are compelled, by the nature of their duties, to be in close proximity to those whom they serve."

Suttee.

The English government, after long discouraging suttees, by the agency of Lord Willian Bentinck formally abolished them in December, 1829, but they have since occasionally taken place. The wife of the son of the Rajah of Beygoon thus perished in June, 1864, and several wives of Sir Tung Bahadoor, minister of Nepaul, on March 1, 1877. One voluntary suttee occurred at Poona, in November, 1890, and it has continued to the present time in isolated parts of India, for even as late as 1905 several persons who took part in a suttee in Behar were condemned to penal servitude.

Singing Makes Work Easy.

Singing makes the daily work easier of accomplishment. Sailors were among the first to recognize this and they sang as they stored away the cargo, keeping time with the music as they pulled on ropes and windlass, changing to presto when the work demanded it. Here is a favorite ditty:

A Yankee ship and a Yankee crew,
Tally hi ho, you know.

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U. S. Food Administration.

De ol' song sez "Dar's Sugar in de Gourd," but Br'er 'Tater 'lows dat de only sugar he's studyin' 'bout now-a-days is what's in de sugar bowl en hit's gwine ter stay dar.

De folks wots doin' de fightin' mus' have sugar fust.

But ef dars enny sweet'nin' in de gourd now'days, he sho' gwine ter git tapped, 'cause dey's lookin' fer syrups en 'lasses en honey to "substitute."

MUSIC ENDS COURSE

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of their lives this afternoon under the "big top" entertaining a large crowd of both old and young. It was a big day for the youngsters as following the circus stunts "Robedelius (Reno), the wizard magician of Timbuctoo" was on hand with an array of startling and amazing tricks of legerdemain and necromacy that made them gasp in wonder.

Last night the biggest crowd of the week saw and enjoyed the business farce "It Pays to Advertise." The clever three-act play was cleverly done and provoked much merriment. It was one of the best numbers of the course.

This evening will see the last number of the course and one of the best musical numbers on the program, the Royal Grenadiers.

It is a very refreshing feature of their performance that after several numbers of string music, exquisitely done to please the most fastidious taste, the Grenadiers are able to lay down their instruments, pick up another set and charm the audience with an entirely different variety of music played after the manner of the small brass band.

The music has been selected with particular reference to the times through which we are passing, and is calculated to inspire and arouse patriotic sentiment, as well as to afford relaxation to the people who have been strenuously engaged in their various lines of work.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Allen returned to their home in Whitesville yesterday day after a week's visit in Maryville with A. D. Saunders.

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Saturday, August 10

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:
One dining table and chairs, 3 rockers, 2 dressers, 1 commode, 2 library tables, 2 iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, 1 full length folding bed, 1 kitchen table, 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 walnut case organ, 1 oil stove, 1 washing machine, several glass fruit jars.

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Be sure and see me if you want to buy or sell Farms, City Property or Western Land.

I write Insurance of all kinds and do Notary Work

A. S. ROBEY
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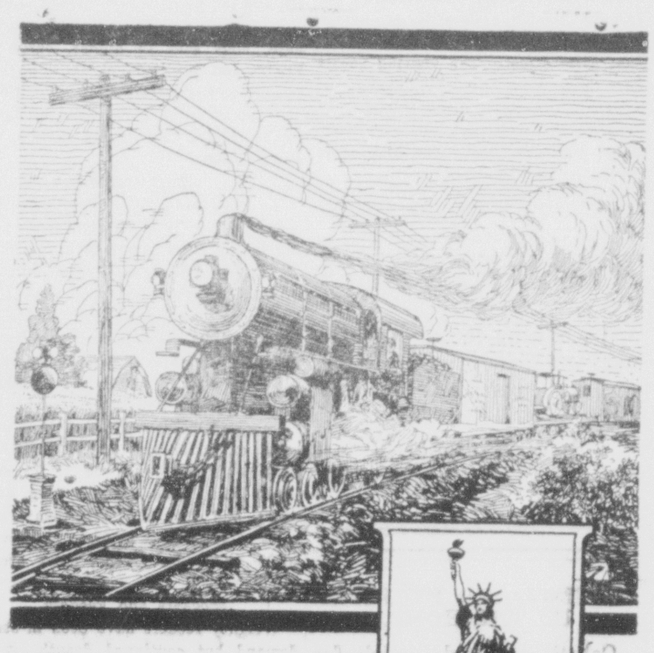

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